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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: BICKERS et al. : Confirmation No. 1444
 Serial No.: 09/917,782 : Art Unit: 2167
 Filed: July 31, 2001 : Examiner: K. Pham
 For: CENTRALIZED DATA POSITION INFORMATION STORAGE SYSTEM AND METHOD

Sir:

Attached is an AMENDMENT in the above-identified application.

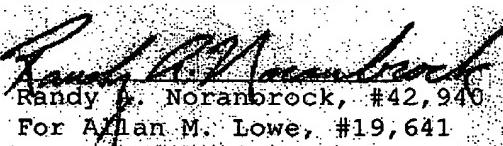
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TOTAL FEE DUE					\$ 120.00

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Respectfully submitted,
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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July 8, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 8, 2005, the period for response being extended one month to July 8, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application:

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